

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 278(L&C)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE SENATE LABOR AND COMMERCE COMMITTEE

Offered: 2/20/04

Referred: Finance

Sponsor(s): SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to fees for the inspection of recreational devices, including**
2 **instructional devices, for certificates of fitness for electrical wiring and plumbing, for**
3 **filing voluntary flexible work hour plan agreements, and for licenses for boiler**
4 **operators; relating to the building safety account; and providing for an effective date."**

5 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

6 * **Section 1.** AS 05.20.060 is amended by adding new subsections to read:

7 (b) Upon inspection of a device under this section, the owner or operator of
8 the device shall pay the department a fee of \$200 for the inspection of that device.

9 (c) Fees collected under this section shall be deposited in the building safety
10 account created by AS 44.31.025.

11 * **Sec. 2.** AS 18.60.395 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

12 (e) A person shall pay a nonrefundable application fee of \$200 when applying
13 for a license as a boiler operator. Fees collected under this section shall be deposited
14 in the building safety account created under AS 44.31.025.

1 * **Sec. 3.** AS 18.62.030(a) is amended to read:

2 (a) An applicant shall pay a nonrefundable application and examination fee of
3 \$50 when applying for a trainee or journeyman level certificate of fitness. The
4 department shall charge a biennial fee of **\$200** [\$160] for the issuance of a trainee or
5 journeyman level certificate or a renewal certificate, to be prorated if issued for less
6 than two years, and a fee of \$25 for the issuance of a duplicate certificate.

7 * **Sec. 4.** AS 23.10.060 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

8 (f) An employer shall pay a nonrefundable fee of \$100 for each voluntary
9 flexible work hour plan agreement that the employer files with the department under
10 (d)(14) of this section.

11 * **Sec. 5.** AS 37.05.146(c)(53) is amended to read:

12 (53) receipts of fees for certain inspections deposited under
13 **AS 05.20.060**, AS 18.60.360, **18.60.395**, 18.60.800, and AS 18.62.030 in the building
14 safety account created under AS 44.31.025;

15 * **Sec. 6.** AS 44.31.025 is amended to read:

16 **Sec. 44.31.025. Building safety account.** The building safety account is
17 created in the state treasury. The legislature may appropriate money from the account
18 for necessary costs incurred by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development
19 in the administration of **AS 05.20**, AS 18.60.180 - 18.60.395, 18.60.800 - 18.60.820,
20 and AS 18.62. Nothing in this section creates a dedicated fund or dedicates the money
21 in the account for a specific purpose.

22 * **Sec. 7.** This Act takes effect July 1, 2004.